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LEHI CHANGES FOAM DAY TO RESIDENT APPRECIATION DAY FOR 2013

City Postpones Foam Usage until 2014 due to Drought Conditions

Lehi, Utah | July 3, 2013 – Due to the ongoing drought conditions being experienced throughout Utah, Lehi City officials have determined to postpone the City's popular Foam Day event until 2014. In place of Foam Day, the City will be holding a Resident Appreciation Day. Resident Appreciation Day will take place on the same day Foam Day was scheduled, July 24th. However, the location will be moved to Wines Park to take advantage of more shade.

Resident Appreciation Day will feature bounce houses, free refreshments, vendors, and other fun attractions for residents to enjoy. "Although it is unfortunate that we will not be able to use foam this year, we view this as an opportunity to say thank you to our residents for their incredible water conservation efforts," said City Administrator Derek Todd. "We hope to use the money that would be spent on the foam to make the day even more fun and exciting," added Todd.



Lehi City will feature bounce houses and other attractions at Resident Appreciation Day.

City officials emphasized that Foam Day will still be an annual, ongoing event. "Foam Day is an important Lehi tradition, and this in no way signals that the City will stop holding the event in the future," said Brenn Bybee, Assistant City Administrator. Derek Todd agreed, "We just feel that it would not be a responsible decision to use the amount of water it takes to create the necessary foam in light of the drought conditions."

The City will provide more details about the attractions at Resident Appreciation Day in the coming days.

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Lehi City is committed to transparency and keeping the community informed. For more information about this topic, or to schedule an interview with Derek Todd or Brenn Bybee, please call Robert Ranc at (801) 768-7100 ext. 2271, or email Robert at rranc@lehi-ut.gov.